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From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, April 7.—The Seventh Day Adventist petition parliament against Lord Minto's bill, which will derogate from their rights, will be presented at the Alliance convention to-day.

Atlay Morrison presented a petition from the Pacific Northern & Quebec railway for an extension of time.

The railway committee reported eight bills, including the British Columbia Southern, which will be presented to-day.

Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick will introduce a bill to amend the Yukon Territory Act, which affects the territory.

Mr. Hughes called attention to the fact that the main navigable channel connecting Lake Huron and Superior was entirely in American territory.

A large collection of Indian and Eskimo relics were taken from cases in the Geological Survey by means of false keys.

The transcontinental railway debate was continued by Messrs. Wade, Monk, Demers and Northup. It will probably terminate next Wednesday.

Ralph Smith introduced in the House of Commons a bill, which was read a first time.

The Duke of Sutherland was the guest of Lord Minto today, and will leave to-night for Toronto, en route for Vancouver and the Pacific Coast.

Alexander MacLean, the newly appointed Japanese commissioner of the Dominion to Japan, leaves here on the Dominion, and will sail from Vancouver on May 2nd.

THE U. S. CENSUS. Population is Now Nearly Eighty Millions Outside of Alaska.

Washington, April 7.—The census bureau today issued a bulletin which gives the estimated population of the United States for 1903, exclusive of Alaska and Hawaii, as 79,000,389.

Estimates are Philadelphia, 1,297,716; St. Louis, 1,000,000; Cleveland, 414,900; Cincinnati, 382,244; San Francisco, 353,919; Pittsburgh, 318,000; New York, 3,716,359; Chicago, 1,874,880.

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SCIBWAB'S BROTHER.

New York, April 7.—Joseph E. Schwab has resigned as president of the American Bond Foundry Company.

NEW ALLIANCES. Russian Press Continues to Discuss Re-alignment of Nations.

St. Petersburg, April 7.—The Russ, in editorial articles against that section of the Russian press which is proposing an alliance of Russia, Germany and France against what is termed the yellow and Anglo-Saxon peril.

News Notes of The Dominion.

Sensational Evidence Given in Libel Case Being Tried in Montreal.

Quebec Boxer Knocked out and Dies From the Effects of the Blow.

Montreal, April 7.—The trial of J. Blackley, of Toronto, on a charge of libel against the Associated Press, is continuing.

London, April 7.—Julius C. Lay, United States consul general at Barcelona, telegraphed as follows to the Associated Press: "An explosion of gas occurred here last night giving rise to a report that a petrol car had exploded at the residence of King Alfonso."

A despatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Barcelona says it has been definitely ascertained that the explosion which took place last night when King Alfonso was leaving the exhibition, the explosion, however, took place a mile from where the King was.

Rome, April 7.—The Patria says: "An enormous crowd waited for King Alfonso outside the exhibition building at Barcelona, where there was no military escort, and the crowd was thus enabled to approach the king in a most intimate manner."

Quebec, April 7.—A boxing contest between a soldier named George Wagoner and a young man named J. B. Drolet, which was witnessed by a large number of spectators, was held in the morning of Drolet, who was knocked out by the blow.

Amherst, April 7.—The thirteen-year-old son of J. Cornwall of this place was seriously injured yesterday afternoon by his father, who was attempting to shoot a rabbit.

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NATIONAL DELEGATES ELECTED

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MRS. GOULD ARRESTED. Had No Money to Pay Fine and Had to Jail "Hubby."

New York, April 7.—Mrs. Howard Gould was unable to pay a fine of \$10 which was imposed on her chauffeur for speeding her automobile faster than the fine was stated.

The Weekly At Ottawa.

Unpreparedness of the Government Likely to Prolong Session.

True Inwardness of the Liberal Finances Reveals Large Deficits.

Ottawa, March 28.—Time is no object with the government.

Canada's Splendid Donations. The various reports of the speeches made at the annual meeting of the Grand Trunk Railway Company.

War May Last For Two Years. Opinion at Harbin That Struggle Will Be Greatly Prolonged.

Kuropatkin Must not Commence Operations Until Fully Reinforced.

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St. Petersburg, April 8.—The Russian general staff believes that the Japanese will not be able to maintain their position in Korea.

METROPOLITAN'S NEW PASTOR. Rev. G. K. B. Adams Appointed to Succeed Rev. E. S. Rowe.

Toronto, April 7.—The following ministers were appointed today to posts in the British Columbia.

Censor's Marks Are Apparent. Stereotyped Character of Despatches Received in London is Marked.

Thirty Miles a Day the Record For Traveling in Korea Over Bad Roads.

London, April 8.—The brief despatches from the seat of war appear in the Daily Telegraph cables.

RUSSIANS IN NORTHERN KOREA. Occupy Border Towns and Withdraw to Antung.

Seoul, April 7.—Telegrams have been received from the Russian embassy in Seoul.

HEAD-ON COLLISION. Sandusky, Ohio, April 7.—In a head-on collision between freight-trains on Lake Erie.

DEPOTISTS INSTEAD OF INVESTORS. The Liberal leaning of the Liberal party is shown by the fact.

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LOCAL NEWS... (From Friday's Daily)... (From Saturday's Daily)

Marine Hospital.—The department of marine and fisheries... Marine hospital on the Indian reserve...

First Fish Traps.—The first fish traps for salmon ever built in British Columbia... are now under construction...

Delivered Judgment.—Mr. Justice Irving yesterday morning handed down his judgment in the case of the British Columbia and the Pacific Coast...

Coal for Nome.—The Pacific Coast Company, of Seattle, will procure the coal for the mine at Nome, Alaska...

Counterfeit Dimes.—A counterfeit dime piece of the year 1892... has been discovered in this country...

Work Traps This Year.—C. F. Todd of the firm of H. Todd & Sons, makes the following statement re fish traps...

Good News For The Old People... A New Source of Strength and Vigor For Those Who Want Their Vitality Waning and Shiver From the Ills Consequent on Old Age.

THE BRITANNIA MINE.—Development on a large scale is to be proceeded with at once on the Britannia mine, Howe Sound...

Exceedingly Rich Slocan Ores... Results of Trial Shipment of Twenty Tons Gives Gross Value of \$970.21

Reported Earnings of the Le Roi Causes General Satisfaction... Returns from the 20-ton car of silver ore recently shipped by the Fisher...

Handsome Showing Made by Roseland Mines for Past Month... Spokane Spokesman Review: Roseland mines have made a handsome showing...

Tragedy at Juneau.—A double tragedy, involving murder and suicide, which happened at Juneau, Alaska...

Nursery Stock.—An order-in-council has been passed permitting nursery stock to be imported from America...

Again in Operation.—The Victoria tramway is again in operation in the fine new building erected by the Victoria Tramway Co., Ltd.

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EX-MAYOR REPLIES TO POLICE MAGISTRATE... Warmly Resents Insinuation of the Existence of a "Conspiracy" in Matter of Issuing Liquor Licenses to Chinamen.

W. CHU YET has said the sum of seventy dollars will be dealt in by him as wholesaler of spirits or fermented liquors imported from China or Japan...

Following is the form of application and the license which was granted: To the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C.

DECLINE TO CHANGE EXHIBITION DATE... Civic Delegates Unsuccessful in Mission to the Royal City.

MAJOR BARNARD, with Ald. Fell, Ald. Stewart and Ald. Beckwith, voted the majority in the Vancouver association...

St. Petersburg, April 9.—The Russian church and the Russian people at midnight celebrated the resurrection of the Lord...

Tortured with Pain, Too Weak to Work, ULCERS, BOILS AND PIMPLES ALL OVER HER BODY.

Burdock Blood Bitters... A remedy without a rival for the cure of all diseases and troubles arising from bad blood.

Conclusion of The Convention... Teachers' Institute Finishes Its Labors After Numerous Busy Sessions.

A Number of Resolutions Important to Parents and Pupils... The Teachers' Institute closed its convention in Vancouver on Thursday evening...

It was resolved that "This Institute recommend to the Department of Education the advisability of providing for the instruction of parents in the care of their children..."

It is reported that the Provincial Victrola Association intends taking action against the city in attempting to recover damages which the city has claimed for the use of the Victrola in the city hall...

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THE PROCESSION MOVED... In the chapel, the clergy returning to the high altar, the choir sang the hymn "The Lord is God, the Lord is God..."

BRITAIN'S FISCAL POLICY... London, April 9.—The British sugar refiners are protesting themselves against a possible duty on sugar in the forthcoming budget...

MISSISSIPPI IN FLOOD... Memphis, April 9.—The Mississippi river this morning was 5.8 feet above danger line. It is still rising...





In Danger of Yellow Invasion

U.S. Representative Points out Peril That May Follow Abrogation.

Unless New Law is Enacted the Chinese Will Be Admitted Free.

Washington, April 8.—Mr. Patterson addressed the Senate today for the abrogation of the Chinese exclusion treaty of 1884 by the Chinese Government, making it effective from December 7th next. He announced his conviction that "unless additional legislation is had before Congress adjourns, a barrier against Chinese immigration that has been built will be removed on the 7th of December next and the ports of the country thrown open to the unrestricted coming of the Chinese."

Resisting Advance

London, April 9.—The British punitive expedition against the Mosquitoes, a tribe of natives in Nicaragua (British West Africa), lost four men killed and forty-eight wounded in the fighting.

Fighting in West Africa

Encounter of Von Glazenapp's Column With Large Force of Hereros.

Battle Raged For Over Three Hours and Enemy Retired.

Berlin, April 10.—Special despatches to the Lokal Anzeiger from a correspondent in German West Africa describe the encounter of Major Von Glazenapp's column and a force of Hereros on April 6th, while the German column was on the way to Oshana.

The road traversed thorns thickets. Early in the morning the Hereros attempted to surround and cut off the rear of the German column.

The German losses were: Lieut. Noer, four privates, four officers and twenty-eight privates killed, and Lieut. Dillbehn, four non-commissioned officers and seven men wounded.

The artillery action was brilliant. The Germans suffered from want of ammunition, but were able to scatter the animals capable of scattering. The enemy withdrew in a northeasterly direction.

Major Von Glazenapp marched on April 2nd on Oshana, intending to march on to Oshana. He was met by the Hereros on the morning of the 6th.

Lieut. Vena, governor of German Southwest Africa, announces that the German main force has returned to Oshana on April 7 for Oshana.

Miss Skeen—Where did you graduate from, Mr. Gill?—From the School of Life. What a strange question!—Is it possible?—What a strange question for a young man brought up in the city!—What if I remember rightly, your grandfather was a farmer, too—Horn's Horn.

A SPRING NEED

Indoor Confinement in Winter Hard on the Health.

"Twenty-nine people out of every hundred actually used a tonic during the spring months, and the hundredth person would make no mistake if he too infused a little extra vigor and power into his blood. The reason for this condition is quite apparent. In the winter months the ventilation is scanty, and the health is impaired. There may be nothing seriously wrong—nothing more than a variable appetite, little pimples or eruptions of the skin, a feeling of weariness and a desire to avoid exertion; perhaps an occasional headache. These may not seem serious, perhaps you may think that the spring months will pass away—but it won't unless you drive it out by putting the blood right with a health-giving tonic. And there is only one blood-renewer. And that is only one—restoring tonic—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Over and over again it has been proved that these pills cure when other medicines fail, and thousands of grateful people testify that they are the best of all spring medicines. Write for a free trial. Colman, N. B., says: 'I was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for a run down system, and have found no other medicine that has done for me. I was suffering from a condition and I had such dry spring ailments that I turned quickly to Williams' Pink Pills for a run down system. A few weeks and the trouble disappeared. I think these pills are ideal for spring medicine.'"

If you want to be healthy in spring don't dose your system with harsh, gripping purgatives, or other medicines, but with other so-called tonics. Take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at once and see how quickly they will banish all spring ailments. Sold by medicine dealers everywhere, or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes by writing to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Co., Brockton, Mass.

Brush With Tibetans

General Macdonald's Party Fired Upon by the Enemy.

London, April 8.—A despatch received at the India office tonight said that General Macdonald's infantry, while reconnoitering near Kalaranga, encountered three hundred Tibetans, who opened fire, but there were no casualties.

The Sulky Failure

New York, April 8.—The creditors of Daniel J. Sully & Co. have today voted to accept an immediate release, and retired.

Four Children Burned

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 8.—Four children of Mr. and Mrs. William Burke were burned to death at Sebastian, Pa., this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Burke were arrested on the 7th of December last and it was discovered that they had arrested them from the rear rooms occupied by the children.

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His honor did not take long to spread the story of his extraordinary success in the case of the late Mrs. White-Fraser.

News of the Army and Navy

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Final Report of Lord Esher's War Office Committee Made Public.

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The general outlook for the jobbing trade in South Africa is to be affected to the tune of £3,000,000 sterling in the next few weeks.

The Ottawa wholesale trade is showing some expansion in certain lines. The demand for dry goods and millinery is being held up by the material in hand.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE

Through the kindness of Mr. J. J. Brannan street, San Francisco, Stanford University has received a fine specimen of a very mysterious fish, or a loach, an eel-shaped fish with the head of a snake and the beard of a catfish.

Mandarin Had to Climb Down

Comical Adventure of a Chinese Life Insurance Risk in Canton.

His origin is purely Sino-patriotic. Englishman might have brought a loach to Ananimo. Some Chinaman may have carried about a live loach as good medicine.

THE EVIDENCE YOU VALUE

By word of mouth from friend to friend Doan's Backache and Kidney Pills are being passed on as the best medicine for the back.

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